UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff/ Respondent,

Case No. 2:23-cr-20022

v.

Hon. Gershwin A. Drain

D-1 MOHAMED KAZKAZ, D-2 ZIAD KHALEL,

Defendants,

NATIONAL RESTAURANT CHAIN NO. 1,

Petitioner.

Ex Parte Application for Order Sealing Exhibits to National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Supplemental Brief In Support of Their Motion to Modify Post-Indictment Restraining Order and Release Their Funds/Substitute Property

NOW COMES the National Restaurant Chain No. 1, by and through DAVID W. JONES, Attorney for Petitioner, and hereby applies to this Court for an Order permitting National Restaurant Chain No. 1 to file the Exhibits to their Supplemental Brief in Support of their Motion to Modify Post-Indictment Restraining Order and Release their Funds/Substitute Property <u>under seal</u>, because the Exhibits contain confidential, financial, sensitive, and proprietary information regarding National Restaurant Chain No. 1's business.

Revealing this information and the subject of this investigation will cause irreparable harm to their business relationships, property, and reputation, which could lead to the collapse of the Company.

Conclusion and Relief

WHEREFORE, National Restaurant Chain No. 1 respectfully requests that this Court grant its request to seal the Exhibits in Support of National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Supplemental Brief in Support of their Motion to Modify Post-Indictment Restraining Order and Release their Funds/Substitute Property.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Brief in Support of Ex Parte Application for Order Sealing Exhibits to National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Supplemental Brief In Support of Their Motion to Modify Post-Indictment Restraining Order and Release Their Funds/Substitute Property

This brief supports National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Application for an Order Sealing the Exhibits to National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Supplemental Brief in Support of their Motion to Modify Post-Indictment Restraining Order and Release their Funds/Substitute Property. The Exhibits contain confidential, financial, sensitive, and proprietary information regarding National Restaurant Chain No. 1's business.

Revealing this information and the subject of this investigation will cause irreparable harm to their business relationships, property, and reputation, which could lead to the collapse of the Company. National Restaurant Chain No. 1's requests that the Court issue an Order sealing the Exhibits, whereupon they will be filed under seal.

Conclusion and Relief

WHEREFORE, National Restaurant Chain No. 1 respectfully requests that this Court enters the proposed Order Sealing the Exhibits.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Order Sealing Exhibits to National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Supplemental Brief In Support of Their Motion to Modify Post-Indictment Restraining Order and Release Their Funds/Substitute Property

This matter comes before the Court pursuant to National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Ex Parte Application for Order Sealing Exhibits to National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Supplemental Brief in Support of their Motion to Modify Post-Indictment Restraining Order and Release their Funds/Substitute Property. This Court has reviewed the pleadings submitted and being aware of the nature of the matter presented to it, and the stated need for sealing.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the Exhibits to National Restaurant Chain No. 1's Supplemental Brief in Support of their Motion to Modify Post-Indictment Restraining Order and Release their Funds/Substitute Property shall be sealed until further order of this Court.

S/ HONORABLE GERSHWIN A. DRAIN United States District Judge

Dated: